

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of	)	<b>MAIL STOP Amendment</b>
	)	
Masakatsu Kiwada	)	Group Art Unit: 2625
	)	
Application No.: 10/800,873	)	Examiner: Iriana Cruz
	)	
Filed: March 16, 2004	)	Confirmation No.: 1558
	)	
For: IMAGE FORMING DEVICE, IMAGE	)	
FORMING METHOD, IMAGE	)	
FORMING PROGRAM, COMPUTER	)	
READABLE RECORDING MEDIUM	)	
ON WHICH THE PROGRAM IS	)	
RECORDED	)	

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2008, having a period for response which extends through April 29, 2009, by the Petition for Extension of Time (one month) filed herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.111, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: